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GERMANY.

Report from Bremen.

BREMEN, GERMANY, June 11, 1900.

SIR: I have the honor to report that 1,373 emigrants sailed from this port for America during the past week. The falling off in the number was likely due to the holiday season, Whitsuntide, though the time of year has arrived when we might expect a lull in the emigration. A case of smallpox developed on the steamer *Grosser Kurfurst*, on her last voyage to New York. It was in the person of a Russian emigrant, a child 6 years of age. Fortunately the case was in one of the small compartments where only the family was located. The patient was at once isolated in the hospital and the exposed members of the family were confined to the separate compartment.

On arrival at the New York quarantine the patient and the family were removed from the steamer, and also the passengers occupying the adjacent compartment. The steamer was then allowed to proceed to her dock. The infected portions of the steamer were thoroughly cleaned and disinfected with sulphur and carbolic acid solution.

Respectfully,

JOSEPH B. GREENE,

Passed Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

*U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.**Report from Hamburg.*

HAMBURG, June 11, 1900.

SIR: I have the honor to report for the week ended June 9, 1900: The steamship *Patricia*, of the Hamburg-American Line, sailed Sunday, June 3, carrying 1,012 steerage passengers; the steamship *Barcelona*, of the Union Line, sailed June 6, carrying 109 steerage passengers for the Hamburg-American Line, and the express steamer *Augusta Victoria*, of the Hamburg-American Line, sailed June 7, carrying 374 steerage passengers. The number of emigrants for the week was therefore much smaller than usual, and this was due to the Whitsuntide religious holidays coming at the beginning of the week. Bills of health were issued to 8 vessels during the week, all of which carried cargo.

Respectfully,

A. C. SMITH,

Passed Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

GUATEMALA.

Report from Livingston—Fruit port.

LIVINGSTON, GUATEMALA, June 12, 1900.

SIR: I have the honor hereby to submit my report for the week ended June 12: State of health of this port remains good. No contagious disease here or in the vicinity. Number of deaths for the week, 1 adult male, senile debility; estimated population, 800. Inspected following ships: June 6, steamship *Managua* entered and cleared for Mobile via Belize. Number of crew, 16; number of passengers, 2. Cargo, green fruit and coffee. All in good sanitary condition. June 12, steamship